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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION of:

Gerold WEINL et al. : Confirmation No.: 2680

Application No.: 10/679,326 : Group Art Unit: 1742

Filed: October 7, 2003 : Examiner: Sheehan, John P.

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

In response to the 1-Month Office Action dated March 3, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows: